

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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2018***

WEEKLY COMMITTEE CALENDAR



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER

Week of February 12, 2018

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House Committee and Sub-Committee Schedule

Monday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:30	BUDGET HEARINGS				
1:00		JOINT GOV OP			
2:00			PENSIONS & INSURANCE		
5:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER				

Tuesday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:00					
8:30					
9:00	INSURANCE & BANKING	LOCAL	ED ADMIN		
9:30					
10:00					
10:30	HEALTH	AG & NAT RESOURCES			
11:00					
11:30					
12:00	ED INSTRUCT	STATE			
12:30	JOINT HOUSE EDUCATION				
1:00					
1:30			TRANS	<i>Criminal Sub.</i>	
2:00	FINANCE				
2:15					
2:30					
3:00		<i>B & U Sub</i>	CIVIL		<i>Ed Admin. Sub.</i>
3:30					
4:00					

Wednesday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:00					
8:30					
9:00			<i>Budget Hearings</i>		
9:30					
10:00					
10:30		CONSUMER	<i>Finance Sub (Immediately Following Budget Hearings)</i>	<i>Ag Sub</i>	
11:00					
11:30					
12:00	CRIMINAL	<i>I & B Sub</i>	GO	<i>Trans Sub</i>	
12:30					
1:00					
1:30	BUS. & UTILITIES	<i>Ed Instruct Sub</i>	<i>Civil Sub</i>	<i>State Sub</i>	
2:00					
3:00			<i>Health Sub</i>	<i>C&HR Sub</i>	<i>Local Sub</i>

Thursday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:00	CALENDAR & RULES (TBA)				
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER				

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Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR II - 10:30 AM

Halford, Chair; Holt, Vice-Chair;

Hawk, Hulsey, Lollar, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Mitchell, Reedy, Shaw, Tillis, Windle

[HB 2317](#) by *Hawk (SB 2217 by *Bell)

Water Pollution - As introduced, repeals the provisions of Chapter 293 of the Public Acts of 2017 that would eliminate the department of environment and conservation's concentrated animal feeding operations (CAFO) operating permit program on March 1, 2018; creates a new operating permit program that is mandatory for certain animal feeding operations that use a liquid waste management system and optional for other animal feeding operations; and makes other changes concerning NPDES permits. - Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 3, Part 1 and Chapter 293 of the Public Acts of 2017.

Budget Hearing:
TDEC

Presentation:
Agricenter International – John Butler

Business and Utilities Committee

Wednesday, February 14, 2018- HHR I - 1:30 PM

Marsh, Chair; Calfee, Vice-Chair;

Camper, Clemmons, Doss, Favors, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Hazlewood, Holsclaw,
Johnson, McCormick, Moon, Powell, Powers, Sparks, Tillis, Vaughan, White D

[HB 1809](#) by *Hawk, Casada, Faison (SB 2233 by *Norris, Watson, Jackson)

Barbers and/or Cosmetologists - As introduced, combines the practices of barbering and cosmetology and the regulation of such practices. - Amends TCA Title 4; Section 37-5-212; Section 49-7-2004; Title 62 and Title 68.

[HB 1826](#) by *Hawk, Casada, Carr (SB 2251 by *Norris, Watson, Southerland)

Safety - As introduced, rewrites examination requirements for chief, deputy, and special boiler inspectors. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 122, Part 1.

[HB 1526](#) by *Hulsey, Gravitt, Crawford (SB 1701 by *Lundberg)

Tourism - As introduced, increases investment period by five years for a border region retail tourism development district. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 40.

[HB 1724](#) by *Hazlewood (SB 2471 by *Roberts)

Accountants - As introduced, lowers the age of inactive licensees who may not have to pay a renewal fee pursuant to rules from over 70 years of age to 65 years of age and older. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 1.

Civil Justice Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR III - 3:00 PM

Farmer, Chair; Moody, Vice-Chair;

Beck, Carter, Casada, Daniel, Forgety, Hardaway, Rogers, Stewart, Terry

HJR 0684 by *Daniel

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - William A. "Bill" Young, Claims Commission -

HB 1666 by *Lamberth, Carter, Hulsey (SB 1651 by *Stevens)

Child Custody and Support - As introduced, specifies that if one parent desires to relocate with a child more than 50 miles and the other parent objects, the sole issue for the court to determine is if relocation is in the best interests of the child using the child custody factors and the relocating parent has the burden of showing it is in the best interest by clear and convincing evidence. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6, Part 1.

HB 1667 by *Lamberth, Jernigan (SB 1655 by *Stevens)

Process, Service of - As introduced, authorizes, in an action by landlord to repossess landlord's property, service of process on a contractually named party and not just on an adult found in possession of property. - Amends TCA Section 29-18-115.

HB 1529 by *Parkinson (SB 1645 by *Harris)

Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, specifies that service of process in any juvenile court proceeding may be completed by a sheriff, constable, or private process server. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 8; Title 36 and Title 37.

HB 1546 by *Vaughan (SB 1608 by *Kelsey, Haile)

Child Custody and Support - As introduced, establishes as a ground on which termination of parental rights may be based the fact that the parent subject to the action for termination was convicted of or found civilly liable for attempting to cause the intentional and wrongful death of the child's other parent or legal guardian. - Amends TCA Section 36-1-113.

Budget Presentation:
Administrative Office of the Courts

Consumer and Human Resources Committee

Wednesday, February 14, 2018- HHR II - 10:30 AM

Eldridge, Chair;

Boyd, Casada, Lynn, Matlock, Staples, Thompson, White M

No Bills On Notice
Committee Will Meet

Presentations

Administrator Steve Hawkins
TN Occupational Safety and Health Administration (TOSHA)
TN Dept. of Labor and Workforce Development

Director Cynthia Wiel
Division of Consumer Affairs
TN Dept. of Commerce and Insurance

Criminal Justice Committee

Wednesday, February 14, 2018- HHR I - 12:00 PM

Lamberth, Chair; Curcio, Vice-Chair;

Akbari, Coley, Farmer, Goins, Jones, Littleton, Parkinson, Sherrell, VanHuss

HB 1721 by *Rogers, Lamberth, Goins (SB 1721 by *Bowling)

Driver Licenses - As introduced, permits a stay of driver license revocation for nonpayment of fines and costs for more than the current 180 days if the applicant for the stay is a participant in a recovery court. - Amends TCA Section 40-24-105.

HB 1471 by *Staples (SB 1505 by *Briggs)

Sentencing - As introduced, increases the penalty for any aggravated assault or homicide that occurs by a person discharging a firearm from within a motor vehicle and the victim is a minor at the time of the offense; names act the "JaJuan Latham Act". - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1 and Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 2.

HB 1828 by *Hawk, Casada, Goins, Curcio (SB 2253 by *Norris, Watson, Lundberg)

Safety, Dept. of - As introduced, permits the department to toll the mandatory 365 consecutive day period during which certain motor vehicles are required to be equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device if the motor vehicle is inoperable based on specified reasons. - Amends TCA Section 55-10-419(g) and Section 55-10-425.

HB 1779 by *Goins, Lamberth (SB 1829 by *Southerland, Roberts)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Stolen Valor Act" by creating the crime of fraudulently representing that a person is a member of a branch of the armed services or the recipient of certain military awards for the purpose of obtaining property, money, or services to which the person is not otherwise entitled. - Amends TCA Title 39.

Education Administration & Planning

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR III - 9:00 AM

Brooks H, Chair; Smith, Vice-Chair;

Akbari, DeBerry, Fitzhugh, Kane, Lollar, Matlock, Moody, Turner, Weaver, White D,
White M

[HB 0631](#) by *Staples, Kumar (SB 0619 by *Harris)

Water Pollution - As introduced, requires the state board of education to promulgate rules for testing lead levels in drinking water sources at public schools built before June 19, 1986, when the federal lead ban took effect, and notification of parents and guardians of students at schools where high lead levels are confirmed by a retest. - Amends TCA Title 49; Title 68 and Title 69.

[HB 1527](#) by *Parkinson (SB 1624 by *Gresham)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, prohibits alterations to a student's transcript unless the LEA, charter school, or virtual school has a written policy governing transcript alterations; prohibits an LEA from retaliating against an employee who brings unauthorized transcript alterations to the attention of school officials; punishes a violation of this section as a Class A misdemeanor. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 50 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

[HB 1682](#) by *Curcio (SB 2209 by *Swann)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, allows the treasurer, comptroller, secretary of state, commissioner of finance and administration, and the chairs of the finance, ways and means committees to have designees serve as trustees for the Tennessee Promise scholarship endowment fund. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-708.

[HB 1720](#) by *Reedy (SB 1782 by *Crowe)

Education, State Board of - As introduced, changes the term of the chair of the state board of education from four years to two years. - Amends TCA Section 49-1-301(b).

Joint Education Hearings:

Held in conjunction with Education Instruction & Programs Committee in HHR I at 12:30
PM on Feb. 13th

Shelby County Schools - Superintendent Dorsey Hopson

Tennessee Foreign Language Institute - Dr. Janice Snow Rodriguez, Executive Director

Governor's Books from Birth Foundation - Theresa Carl, President

Education Instruction & Programs

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR I - 12:00 PM

Forgety, Chair; Byrd, Vice-Chair;

Brooks H, Butt, Dunn, Holt, Kane, Kumar, Love, Pitts, Reedy, Stewart, Towns

HB 1549 by *Terry, Harwell, Pitts, Butt, Rudd, Boyd, Byrd, Gravitt, Love, White D, Stewart, Casada, Smith, Fitzhugh, Eldridge, Forgety, Brooks H, White M, Lollar, Powell, Williams, Weaver (SB 1804 by *Ketron)

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, exempts certain supervisors, principals, and public school teachers from having to take an assessment to advance or renew a teaching license under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

HB 1569 by *Brooks H (SB 1691 by *Lundberg)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, allows any LEA, rather than just the Metropolitan Nashville public school system, using the career academy or small learning community model to extend career and technical education (CTE) class sizes in grades nine through 12; allows an LEA to seek a waiver from the commissioner of education to extend the CTE class size average in grades nine through 12. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 11.

HB 1570 by *Brooks H, Lollar, Coley (SB 1664 by *Dickerson)

Schools, Charter - As introduced, requires that the location of a charter school be within the jurisdictional boundaries of the authorizing LEA; requires a charter school to seek a delay in opening if the charter school has not secured a physical location 60 days prior to the opening of the charter school. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13, Part 1.

HB 1533 by *Kane (SB 1514 by *Massey, Swann, Bell)

Education, Higher - As introduced, requires the board of regents, each state university board, and the board of trustees of the University of Tennessee to adopt policies allowing American sign language courses to satisfy foreign language requirements for undergraduate degree programs by July 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

Joint Education Hearings:

Held in conjunction with Education Administration & Planning Committee in HHR I at
12:30 PM on Feb. 13th

The committee will consider legislation for 30 minutes, and then will move to hearings at
12:30 PM.

Shelby County Schools - Superintendent Dorsey Hopson

Tennessee Foreign Language Institute - Dr. Janice Snow Rodriguez, Executive Director

Governor's Books from Birth Foundation - Theresa Carl, President

Finance, Ways & Means Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR I - 2:00 PM

Sargent, Chair; Brooks K, Vice-Chair;

Byrd, Camper, Carter, Coley, Crawford, DeBerry, Fitzhugh, Gilmore, Hawk, Hazlewood,
Hicks, Hill M, Johnson, Love, Lynn, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Williams, Wirgau

No Bills On Notice
Committee Will Meet

BUDGET HEARING SCHEDULE

Monday, February 12, 2018
House Hearing Room I

8:30 AM -- 9:00 AM
DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY
Major General Terry M. "Max" Haston, Adjutant General

9:00 AM -- 12:30 PM
HIGHER EDUCATION:

TENNESSEE HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION
TENNESSEE STUDENT ASSISTANCE CORPORATION
Mr. Mike Krause, Executive Director

UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE
Dr. Joe DiPietro, President

TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS
Dr. Flora Tydings, Chancellor

TENNESSEE FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTITUTE
Dr. Janice Snow Rodriguez, Executive Director

TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
Dr. Glenda Baskin Glover, President

AUSTIN PEAY STATE UNIVERSITY
Dr. Alisa White, President

TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
Dr. Phil Oldham, President

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS
Dr. M. David Rudd, President

MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
Dr. Sydney McPhee, President

EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
Dr. Brian E. Noland, President

Tuesday, February 13, 2018
House Hearing Room I

2:00 PM -- 3:00 PM
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN'S SERVICES
Ms. Bonnie Hommrich, Commissioner

3:00 PM -- 3:30 PM
TENNESSEE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION
Mr. Clayton Byrd, Executive Director

3:30 PM -- 4:00 PM
TENNESSEE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH
Ms. Linda O'Neal, Executive Director

Wednesday, February 14, 2018
House Hearing Room III

9:00 AM -- 10:00 AM
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Mr. Jai Templeton, Commissioner

10:00 AM -- 11:00 AM
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
Mr. Burns Phillips, Commissioner

Government Operations Committee Consent Calendar

Wednesday, February 14, 2018- HHR III - 12:00 PM

Faison, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;

Calfee, Casada, Fitzhugh, Halford, Howell, Johnson, Mitchell, Stewart, Williams

[HB 1612](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1518 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the board of nursing for three years to June 30, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 2.

[HB 1614](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1520 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the board of pharmacy for five years to June 30, 2023. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 10, Part 3.

[HB 1617](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1523 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the collection service board for six years to June 30, 2024. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 62, Chapter 20.

[HB 1633](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1555 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee auctioneer commission for six years to June 30, 2024. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 62, Chapter 19.

[HB 1656](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1548 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the real estate appraiser commission for six years to June 30, 2024. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 62, Chapter 39.

Government Operations Committee

Wednesday, February 14, 2018- HHR III - 12:00 PM

Faison, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;

Calfee, Casada, Fitzhugh, Halford, Howell, Johnson, Mitchell, Stewart, Williams

[HB 1468](#) by *Staples (SB 1685 by *Briggs)

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, provides for a refund of state sales tax paid on expenditures to rehabilitate historic structures under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 11; Title 13 and Title 67.

[HB 1460](#) by *Smith, White M, Staples (SB 1626 by *Gresham)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, authorizes local education agencies to establish recovery high schools. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 4.

[HB 1503](#) by *Marsh (SB 1581 by *Johnson)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, clarifies the entities under the jurisdiction of the utility management review board and the water and wastewater financing board. - Amends TCA Section 7-82-701 and Section 68-221-1008.

[HB 1623](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1529 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the department of correction for one year to June 30, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3.

[HB 1628](#) by *Faison, Ragan (SB 1534 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the department of veterans services for four years to June 30, 2022. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3.

Health Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR I - 10:30 AM

Sexton C, Chair; Kumar, Vice-Chair;

Butt, Clemmons, Faison, Favors, Gant, Hicks, Hill M, Holsclaw, Jernigan, Jones, Ragan, Ramsey, Sherrell, Staples, Terry, Whitson, Williams

HJR 0600 by *Dunn

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Urges the United States Food and Drug Administration to consider making Naloxone an over-the-counter medication. -

HB 1750 by *Carr (SB 1777 by *Crowe)

Senior Citizens - As introduced, requires the commission on aging and disabilities to design and oversee a resource mapping of federal, state, and nongovernmental resources and funding streams that support the health, safety, and welfare of persons 60 years of age or older. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 2.

HB 1489 by *Hazlewood, Kumar, McCormick (SB 1495 by *Haile, Dickerson, Briggs, Hensley)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, prohibits persons under 18 years of age from using tanning devices in tanning facilities in this state. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 117, Part 1.

HB 1542 by *Ramsey (SB 1494 by *Haile)

Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities - As introduced, clarifies that the aging caregiver priority provisions apply to anyone on a referral list for the TennCare CHOICES program. - Amends TCA Title 33 and Title 71.

BUDGET & POLICY PRESENTATION
Bureau of TennCare

Insurance and Banking Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR I - 9:00 AM

Travis, Chair; Zachary, Vice-Chair;

Beck, Brooks K, Boyd, Curcio, Gant, Hardaway, Hill T, Keisling, Matheny, Moon, Pitts, Powers, Rudd, Sargent, Sparks, Thompson, Towns, VanHuss, Vaughan

[HB 0523](#) by *Ramsey, Pody, Calfee, Daniel, Casada, Lynn, Eldridge (SB 0367 by *Green, Massey, Swann)

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires health insurance coverage to cover hypofractionated proton therapy in the same manner as it covers intensity modulated radiation therapy under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71.

Local Government Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR II - 9:00 AM

Wirgau, Chair; Howell, Vice-Chair;

Alexander, Carr , Cooper, Crawford, Eldridge, Gravitt, Miller, Parkinson, Sexton C,
Sexton J

HB 1504 by *Hawk (SB 1516 by *Dickerson)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, requires industrial development corporations to maintain a listing of debt obligations and file the listing with the state funding board. - Amends TCA Section 7-53-304.

HB 1517 by *Marsh (SB 1810 by *Ketron)

County Government - As introduced, authorizes a county board of public utilities in a county with a central purchasing authority, at the discretion of the governing body of the county, to make purchases relating to urban type public facilities in accordance with purchasing policies approved by the governing body of the county. - Amends TCA Section 5-16-105.

HB 1770 by *Dunn (SB 2161 by *Bell)

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, limits amount candidate may personally loan the candidate's own campaign per election, but does not limit amount candidate may contribute to campaign. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10.

HB 1537 by *Calfee (SB 1508 by *Bailey)

County Government - As introduced, specifies that, in the event of a discrepancy between the map showing the districts from which members of the legislative body are elected and the typed or printed description of those boundaries, the map is the controlling document. - Amends TCA Section 5-1-110.

HB 1473 by *Curcio (SB 1470 by *Roberts)

Municipal Government - As introduced, creates an exception to the prohibition on the incorporation of an area within three miles of an existing municipality to allow an area in Hickman County to incorporate. - Amends TCA Section 6-1-201.

HB 2294 by *Boyd, Williams (SB 1959 by *Pody)

Local Government, General - As introduced, allows a municipal legislative body to authorize, by ordinance, a member of the body who is deployed for under one year while serving as a member to attend and vote in sessions through the use of two-way electronic audio-video communication during the deployment. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 8.

HB 1670 by *Moon (SB 1484 by *Briggs)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, removes requirement that a city lying in more than one county be reappraised under a separate plan of reappraisal. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-1601(b).

HB 1496 by *Pitts, Johnson, Reedy, VanHuss (SB 1675 by *Green, Roberts)

Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, provides continued eligibility for a disabled veteran's property tax relief during temporary periods of confinement in a nursing home or hospitalization if the disabled veteran intends to return to the residence once recovered. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 7.

HB 1502 by *Gravitt (SB 1485 by *Jackson)

Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, specifies that property subject to the tax exemption for religious, charitable, scientific, or educational property, property of certain low-income persons, property of certain educational institutions, and property used for airport runways is required to have the exemption application approved by the state board of equalization; deletes the requirement that the county assessor of property submit a record of the county board of equalization's changes to the state board of equalization. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5.

HB 1803 by *Carr , Alexander, Howell, Windle, Calfee, Hill T, Crawford, Pitts, Moon, Doss, Forgety, Wirgau, Eldridge (SB 1906 by *Yager, Bell, Jackson)

Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, authorizes a local government to execute a cooperative purchasing agreement with other local, state, and federal governmental entities for purposes of purchasing farm tractors, mowers, earth-moving and construction machinery, and similar machinery and equipment; provided, that a local government does not have the authority to purchase construction machinery under a cooperative purchasing agreement with an agency of the United States. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-1205.

State Government Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR II - 12:00 PM

Ramsey, Chair; Hulsey, Vice-Chair;

Daniel, Jernigan, Lamberth, Littleton, Powell, Rudd, Sanderson, Shaw

[HB 1576](#) by *Doss (SB 2573 by *Hensley)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes the City of Ethridge to hold a referendum to authorize the retail sale of alcoholic beverages in package stores and for consumption on the premises. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3 and Title 57, Chapter 4.

[HB 1538](#) by *Gant, Carr (SB 1482 by *Gresham)

Public Records - As introduced, repeals the requirement that the register of each county, once in every year, lay before the county legislative body all the records of the register's office for examination. - Repeals TCA Section 10-7-103.

[HB 1788](#) by *Daniel, Rudd (SB 1919 by *Dickerson)

State Employees - As introduced, increases the cash award for the employee suggestion award program from a one-time award of 10 percent of the first year's estimated savings to 15 percent of the annual savings received in a fiscal year for a maximum period of three years. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 27.

[HB 1294](#) by *Sanderson (SB 0556 by *Ketron)

Alcoholic Beverage Commission - As introduced, increases commission from three members to five members, with the additional members being appointed by the speaker of the senate and the speaker of the house of representatives; revises other commission-related provisions. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 57, Chapter 1.

[HB 1474](#) by *Ramsey, Carr (SB 2210 by *Swann)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, designates Marble Gate in Blount County a premier type tourist resort for purposes of consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.

Transportation Committee

Tuesday, February 13, 2018- HHR III - 1:30 PM

Doss, Chair; Rogers, Vice-Chair;

Alexander, Carr , Cooper, Dunn, Hill T, Keisling, Mitchell, Sanderson, Sexton J, Smith,
Travis, Turner, Weaver, Whitson, Windle, Zachary

[HB 1515](#) by *Hulsey, Lamberth (SB 1694 by *Lundberg)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, increases, from \$400 to \$1,500, the minimum property damage threshold for which a motor vehicle accident requires a written report to be filed with the department of safety; increases, from \$500 to \$1,500, the property damage threshold differentiating a Class B misdemeanor from a Class A misdemeanor for the offense of leaving the scene of an accident. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10 and Title 55, Chapter 12.

[HB 1552](#) by *Parkinson (SB 1607 by *Tate)

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, authorizes motor vehicle commission to take licensure action against dealer or salesperson who fails to maintain record of customer's liability coverage or proof of financial responsibility whenever temporary plate issued to customer; requires record to be maintained in same manner or period of time as record of issuance of temporary plates. - Amends TCA Title 55.